by John Morecroft his Attorny and prayed respite untill the next Liber JJ provinciall Court which was accordingly granted him by the Court Thomas Jones of Somersett County haveing acknowledged himselfe security in Open Court for the payment of all costs and charges if the said John England be cast.

John Tully agt The plaintiff declares and imparlance till next Mathias Decosta Court.

Memorandum that this day to witt the fourtenth day of April in the xxxviiith yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c came James Nutthall the sonn of John Nutthall late of the Crosse Mannour in the County of St Maries and chose for his Gardian Thomas Sprigg of Calvert County Gent who was admitted by the Court.

Ordered that Joseph Wickes execute the office of a Coroner in Talbott County and that Thomas South be discharge of that office.

Benjamin Rozer agt The deft appeares by Thomas Knighton his Henry Stockett Attorny and imparlance until the next Provinciall Court.

Henry Hooper agt William Burges late of South river in the W^m Burges et af County of Ann Arrundell Gent Thomas Taylor late of the ridge in the said County of Ann Arrundell Gent and Samuel Chew late of [blank] in the said County of Ann Arrundell were attached to answer unto Henry Hooper in a plea of trespas upon the case

And whereupon the said Henry by John Morecroft his Attorny complaineth that whereas by the Statute of magna charta chapter the twenty ninth made in the ninth yeare of the Raigne of King Henry the third it is contained that no free man shall be taken or imprisoned or disseised of his freehold or his liberties or his Free Customes or outlawed or banished or by any meanes destroyed neither will wee goe upon him neither will we send upon him except by legall judgment of his equalls or by the Law of the land Wee will sell to none Wee will deny or delay to none justice or right and the said Henry Saith that whereas the said Henry was by virtue of certaine letters of administration the twenty first day of February in the One and thirtith yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c Annog Dom One thousand six hundred sixty two under the lesser seale of this province by Henry Sewall [p. 88] Cheife Officer for the probate of wills and granting administration within the said Province lawfully constituted appointed and authorized to the said Henry Hooper committed and appointed administrator of the Goods and Chattells of Richard Gott deceased whereby the said Henry Hooper became lawfully invested with the said estate as